Public Participation Opportunity Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC)

Division of Water Pollution Control Notice Requesting Public Comments on Draft

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The purpose of this notice is to advise the public of the following draft environmental permits and to solicit comments and information necessary to evaluate the potential impact of the proposed activities on human health and the environment.

Individual NPDES Permits

Proposed New Issuances

Applicant name Aqua Chem, Inc.

Permit number TN0078361 Permit Writer JAH Discharger rating Minor

County Knox EAC Knoxville

Street Address/Location 3001 E John Sevier Highway

City and Zip Code Knoxville, TN 37914

Description of activity Pressure Vessel and Heat Exchanger Manufacturer

Effluent description water purification equipment hydrostatic test water from Outfall 001 and

stormwater from Outfall SW4

Receiving stream Swanpond Creek at mile 2.5

Facility latitude 35.968056 Facility longitude -83.830278

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant name Paris Landing State Park

Permit number TN0075990 Permit Writer SEF Discharger rating Minor

County Henry EAC Jackson

Street Address/Location 16055 Highway 79 North City and Zip Code Buchanan, TN 38222

Description of activity Paris Landing State Park irrigation

Effluent description filter backwash water from Outfall 001

Receiving stream Eagle Creek (Kentucky Lake)

Facility latitude 36.426111 Facility longitude -88.102222

Applicant name Wynn Habersham School

Permit number TN0055239 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Campbell EAC Knoxville

Street Address/Location 174 Habersham Road City and Zip Code Duff, TN 37729

Description of activity Septic tank, recirculating sand filter and ultra violet disinfection

Effluent description treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001

Receiving stream Davis Creek at mile 0.1

Facility latitude 36.331944 Facility longitude -84.190278

Applicant name Ergon Terminaling Inc-Chattanooga

Permit number TN0041866 Permit Writer JAH Discharger rating Minor

County Hamilton EAC Chattanooga

Street Address/Location 617 Terminal Road City and Zip Code Chattanooga, TN 37405

Description of activity Special Warehousing and Storage, NEC

Effluent description boiler blowdown, hydrostatic test water, loading rack washwater and storm

water runoff from Outfall 001 and styrene loading rack washwater and storm

water runoff from Outfall 002

Receiving stream Tennessee River at mile 456.4 (Outfall 001) and Tennessee River at mile 456.0

(Outfall 002)

Facility latitude 35.075000 Facility longitude -85.337500

Applicant name TWRA Flintville Trout Hatchery

Permit number TN0005037 Permit Writer SEF Discharger rating Minor

County Lincoln EAC Columbia

Street Address/Location Flintville

City and Zip Code Flintville, TN 37335

Description of activity Fish Hatcheries and Preserves

Effluent description industrial wastewater (water from a fish farm operation) through Outfalls 001

and 002

Receiving stream Shelton Creek at mile 4.0

Facility latitude 35.083333 Facility longitude -86.375000

Proposed Terminations

Applicant name Mark I Molded Plastics

Permit number TN0064734 Permit Writer JAH Discharger rating Minor

County Henry EAC Jackson

Street Address/Location 170 Mark I Drive City and Zip Code Henry, TN 38231

Description of activity A plastics injection molding and decorating operation.

Effluent description non-contact cooling water through Outfall 001

Receiving stream Surface Discharge-Gravel Park

Facility latitude 36.219167 Facility longitude -87.933361

Applicant name Jefferson School

Permit number TN0023744 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Fayette EAC Memphis

Street Address/Location 13955 Highway # 59 City and Zip Code Somerville, TN 38068

Description of activity lagoon system is now connected to the City of Somerville Sewage System.

Effluent description treated domestic wastewater from Outfall 001

Receiving stream Smart Creek at mile 4.7

Facility latitude 35.265556 Facility longitude -89.361111

State Operation Permits

Proposed New Issuances

Applicant name Pennington 33 Bridge Marina

Permit number SOP-04032 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Union EAC Knoxville

Street Address/Location 170 Beach Island Road City and Zip Code Maynardville, TN 37807

Description of activity Pump and haul
Wastewater description No discharge allowed

Adjacent receiving stream N/A

Facility latitude 36.333333 Facility longitude -83.750000

Applicant name ETC Tank Cleaning (Enterprise Transportation Company)

Permit number SOP-04030 Permit Writer JAH Discharger rating Minor

County Sullivan EAC Johnson City

Street Address/Location 1599 Jared Drive City and Zip Code Kingsport, TN 37660

Description of activity Internal and external cleaning of RCRA empty containers, pump and haul of

wastewater

Wastewater description No discharge allowed

Adjacent receiving stream unnamed tributary of South Fork Holston River

Facility latitude 36.522500 Facility longitude -82.554722

Proposed Reissuances

Applicant name Big Buck Hunting And Camping Resort

Permit number SOP-89062 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Hardeman EAC Jackson

Street Address/Location 205 Sparks Road
City and Zip Code Hornsby, TN 38044
Description of activity Lagoon and spray irrigation
Wastewater description No discharge allowed

Adjacent receiving stream

Facility latitude 35.227666 Facility longitude -88.227666

Proposed Terminations

Applicant name Mueller Compamy

Permit number SOP-78212 Permit Writer JAH Discharger rating Minor

County Hamilton EAC Chattanooga

Street Address/Location 1401 Mueller Avenue City and Zip Code Chattanooga, TN 37406

Description of activity Gray iron potable water flow control valves--non-discharge sedimentation basin

Wastewater description no discharge allowed Adjacent receiving stream South Chickamauga Creek

Facility latitude 35.095833 Facility longitude -85.25556

Applicant name On-Site Systems, Inc.-Weigel's @ Gallaher Road Northeast of

I-40 near Kingston

Permit number SOP-03023 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Roane EAC Knoxville

Street Address/Location Gallaher Road, Northeast of I-40

City and Zip Code Kingston, TN 37763

Description of activity Septic tank, recirculating packed bed filtration system with drip irrigation is now

replaced by pump and haul permit SOP-04013 issued directly to Weighl's at

Gallaher Road.

Wastewater description No discharge allowed

Adjacent receiving stream N/A

Facility latitude 35.872222 Facility longitude -84.441666

Applicant name Hodges Group, Inc.

Permit number SOP-01040 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Sumner EAC Nashville

Street Address/Location
City and Zip Code
Description of activity
Wastewater description
Adjacent receiving stream
Other Portland, TN 37148
pump and haul
No discharge allowed
tributary of West Fork Creek

Facility latitude 36.557222 Facility longitude -86.505278

Applicant name On-Site Systems, Inc.-Copper Road Treatment Facility

Permit number SOP-00038 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Cannon EAC Cookeville

Street Address/Location Highway 96 and Copper Road City and Zip Code Auburntown, TN 37016

Description of activity septic tanks, effluent collection, deep cell lagoon and drip irrigation

Wastewater description No discharge allowed

Adjacent receiving stream N/A

Facility latitude 35.941667 Facility longitude -86.119722

Applicant name Town of Unicoi Collection System

Permit number SOP-00002 Permit Writer HVA Discharger rating Minor

County Unicoi EAC Johnson City

Street Address/Location 3600 Unicoi Drive City and Zip Code Unicoi, TN 37692

Description of activity Collection system now owned by the Erwin Utilities

Wastewater description No discharge allowed

Adjacent receiving stream N/A

Facility latitude 36.213333 Facility longitude -82.325278

POTW - Pretreatment Program Approvals:

None

The Division of Water Pollution Control is authorized to approve local POTW Pretreatment Programs for the administration and enforcement of the National Pretreatment Standards of Performance for industrial users of the respective Publicly Owned Treatment Works listed in this notice. Additionally, the POTW Programs are required to prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will interfere with their operation, including the use or disposal of sludge, and prevent the introduction of pollutants into the POTW's which will pass through the treatment works or be otherwise incompatible. All POTW Pretreatment Programs approved are in accordance with the Tennessee Water Quality Control Act, the federal Clean Water Act, and appropriate regulations.

End of List

How to Comment:

TDEC is requesting public comment on this permit action. Obtaining a broad range of facts and opinions on Agency actions is one of the best ways to ensure quality decisions. Persons wishing to comment on the proposed action are invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Pollution Control at 6th Floor, L&C Tower, 401 Church Street, Nashville, TN 37243, Attn: Public Notice Coordinator, by fax number (615) 532-0668, or by E-mail at environment@state.tn.us. Comments must be received by the end of comment period date (see Page 1).

How to Request a Public Hearing:

Interested persons may request in writing that the Director of the Division of Water Pollution Control hold a public hearing on any application. The request must be filed within the comment period and must indicate the interest of the party filing it and the reasons why such a hearing is warranted. When there is significant public interest for a hearing, a hearing will be conducted according to Division of Water Pollution Control Rule 1200-4-1-.05(3)(g). Public hearings will be announced through another public notice.

How the Department will Proceed:

The Director of the Division of Water Pollution Control will determine the final permit action after considering comments submitted during the comment period, the hearing record, if any, and the requirements of the Federal and State acts and regulations.

To Obtain Permit Details:

Draft permits or decisions regarding applications submitted to TDEC may be available electronically on the TDEC Internet site: http://www.state.tn.us/environment. Copies of the application(s) and draft permit(s) are also available for public inspection by contacting TDEC at environment@state.tn.us, by calling 1-888-891-TDEC (8332), or by visiting following locations during normal business hours:

Environmental Assistance Center - Chattanooga 540 McCallie Avenue, Suite 550 Chattanooga, TN 37402 –2013 (423) 634-5745

Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, Hamilton, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea, Sequatchie

Environmental Assistance Center - Columbia 2484 Park Plus Drive Columbia, TN 38506 (931) 380-3371

Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry,

Environmental Assistance Center - Cookeville

1221 South Willow Avenue

Cookeville, TN 38401

(931) 432-4015

Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren, White

Environmental Assistance Center - Jackson

362 Carriage House Drive

Jackson, TN 38305 -2222

(901) 512-1300

Benton, Carroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, De Kalb, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood,

Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Weakley

Environmental Assistance Center - Johnson City

2305 Silverdale Road

Johnson City, TN 37601

(423) 854-5400

Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi, Washington

Environmental Assistance Center - Knoxville

2700 Middlebrook Pike, Suite 220

Knoxville, TN 37921

(865) 594-6035

Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Knox, Loudon, Monroe,

Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier, Union

Environmental Assistance Center - Memphis

2510 Mt. Moriah Road, Suite E-645

Memphis, TN 38115 -1511

(901) 368-7939

Fayette, Shelby, Tipton

Environmental Assistance Center - Nashville

711 R.S. Gass Boulevard

Nashville, TN 37243 -1550

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Cheatham, Davidson, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart,

Sumner, Trousdale, Williamson, Wilson

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State of Tennessee Antidegradation Policy:

Antidegradation determinations have been made in regard to the permits referenced in this Public Notice. Tennessee's Antidegradation Statement is found in Chapter 1200-4-3-.06 of the Rules of the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation. The primary purpose of the antidegradation policy is to establish a greater level of protection for those waters that are identified to be of high quality. Generally, there are two types of high quality waters. Some high quality waters are those at near pristine conditions. These outstanding National Resource Waters (ORNWs), or Tier 3 waters, are specifically designated by the Water Quality Control Board and are afforded the greatest level of protection. No new discharges or expansion of existing discharges are allowed to result in degradation of the existing water quality. Others are determined to be high quality due to specialized uses and/or unique features and are identified by the Department as Tier 2 waters and are also protected against degradation.

Some degradation may be allowed only if the Water Quality Control Board deems it economically and socially necessary. Other surface waters not specifically identified and/or designated as high quality are referred to as Tier 1 waters. Generally, new discharges or increases in existing discharges may be allowed in Tier 1 waters. The Division of Water Pollution Control's evaluation of such discharges may include the following provisions:

- · The proposed lowering of water quality by the discharge is necessary for economic growth or community benefit; the proposed discharge can not be mitigated by reasonable pollution prevention measures; and
- · There is no other reasonable non-discharge alternative available to prevent the new/increased discharge to Tier 1 waters.

In all cases, the proposed discharge must meet water quality standards and fully protect all classified uses. Information used by the Division of Water Pollution Control in evaluating any of the above provisions is **State of Tennessee Policy of Non-Discrimination:**

Pursuant to the State of Tennessee's policy of non-discrimination, the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation does not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, religion, color, national or ethnic origin, age, disability, or military service in its policies, or in the admission or access to, or treatment or employment in its programs, services or activities. Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action inquiries or complaints should be directed to the EEO/AA Coordinator, Office of General Counsel, 401 Church Street, 20th Floor L & C Tower, Nashville, TN 37243, 1-888-867-7455. ADA inquiries or complaints should be directed to the ADA Coordinator, Human Resources Division, 401 Church Street, 12th Floor L & C Tower, Nashville, TN 37243, 1-866-253-5827. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service (1-800-848-0298).

Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you believe will be interested.